1	2	3
7	Shri Amit Sen	2,700
8	Shri G. Bandopadhyay	2,700
9	Shri A.K. Chatterjee & relatives	4,330
10	Shri M.R. Mukherjee	4,112
11	Shri R.L. Gaggar	5,600
12	Shri T.K. Ghosh	7,060
13	M/s. Lodha Services Pvt. Ltd.	3 515
14	M/s. Multiplex Business Ltd.	6,820
15	Others	8,540
	TOTAL:	1.03,612

No violation of the provisions of the Companies Act in regard to acquisition of shares by Shri S. K. Roy has come to notice so far.

New print requirement

3218. DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY:
SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a shortage of newsprint in the country to the tune of two lakh tonnes and that the All India Small Paper Mills Association offered their surplus to meet the shortage; and

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir. The offer made by the All India Small Paper Mills Association, however, relates to the supply of cream-wove paper for being utilised as a substitute for imported newsprint.

(b) The Newspaper Industry has represented that cream-wove paper is not suitable for newspaper printing, especially high-speed web off-set printing. In case, however, any newspaper is willing to utilise cream-wove paper for printing of newspapers in substitution of imported newsprint, it is free to seek necessary authorisation from the Registrar of Newspapers for India.

Power Generation from Natural Gas

3219. SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSHANA RAO: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what action is proposed to be taken against the bureaucrats who misled him in regard to the use of natural gas for power generation during his inaugural address at a seminar on Natural Gas at Ahmedabad; and

(b) what steps are being contemplated to use natural gas for power generation to meet the shortage of power in various parts of the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI KALPNATH RAI): (a) At the Seminar organised by the Gujarat Foundation for Development of Alternatives at Ahmedabad on 2nd July, 1988, the Minister of Energy